

# THE TOKEN HUNTER



A publication of the *National Utah Token Society*  
6143 Rainy Lane, Murray, UT 84107

Dedicated to the collection, recording and preservation of tokens and medals

## JULY MEETING

Our next meeting is on Thursday  
July 23, 1987 at the Redwood  
Multi Purpose Center.

The speaker will be Norm Johnson  
who has written a book and is  
considered to be an expert on  
holographic materis.

Mr. Johnson will be sharing some of  
his expertise with us and he will  
also tell us what to look for in  
counterfeits. He will be sharing  
information with us on the values  
of this holographic materials

Hope to see you there!

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share? Give someone a call. If you are inter-  
ested in writing an article or placing an ad,  
call Ross or Laura Seely.



# PRESIDENT'S PAGE

My advice to token collectors is to branch-out and learn about other collectables that have connections with trade tokens.

Script is a good example. Some of the stores that had trade tokens also had script. If you are out asking people about tokens and they have script or paper, you should have some kind of an idea of what it is worth. I recently had a chance to pick up a Z.C.M.I. receipt with Brigham Young's picture on it. Because it was only four dollars and I thought it would look nice in a display - I bought it.

Bottles are another collectable that can go hand in hand with tokens. There are a number of club members that collect bottles. Irv Ratcliffe has a very nice collection of dairy tokens and bottles. Within this last month, I picked up a bottle from Preston Co--p Drug Co. It is the first Co-op bottle that I have had the opportunity to trade for and it would looke nice in a display. Its value is \$20-\$30 and there

are only three of these bottles known.

Stocks are another example. Bryan Moulton has picked up a number of stocks to go along with his Frisco collection.

The idea I am trying to express is that we may have opportunities in the future to pick up a number of other items as we are out looking for trade tokens and we may also have the opportunity of making good money if we know what to look for and what the approximate values are.

Do not let a good deal pass you by just because you do not have enough knowledge to take advantage of it.

-John Sroka

# 1987 DIGS!

The following is a calendar of events for the next six months that the Wagonmasters talked about on the previous page. Be sure to put this page somewhere you will be sure to see it, or put these dates on your own calendar. WE HOPE TO SEE YOU AT THE NEXT DIG!

April 25, 26 - Fish Springs  
May 23, 24, 25 - Frisco  
June 13, 14 - Eureka  
June 27, 28 - Token Show

July 24, 25, 26 - Kimberly  
August 15, 16 - Rush Valley  
August 20 - Club Picnic  
Sept. 5, 6, 7 - Joy

## April 1987

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
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					FISH SPRINGS	
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## July 1987

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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					KIMBERLY	
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## May 1987

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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## August 1987

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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				RUSH VALLEY		
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		CLUB PICNIC				
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

## June 1987

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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					EUREKA	
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
				TOKEN SHOW		
28	29	30				

## September 1987

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
					JOY	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
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# FROM THE WAGONMASTERS

## KIMBELY

By Bryan Moulton

This being the month of July we will be making a visit to Kimberly, Utah over the 24-25-26th of July.

Kimberly is a gold mining ghost town who during her boom had a sizable population of about 500 residents from 1901 to 1908. The town had two or three general stores, specialty shops, three livery stables, three saloons, tow hotels, two barber shops, two boarding houses, a school house, post office, doctors offices, dance hall and dairy. There was also a daily stage from Richfield. With all of this there should be a lot of coins and bottles left to be found.

Kimberly's jail wich now resides in Pioneer Village at Lagoon, was often a temporary residence fro drunken brawlers and occasionally worse offenders. Butch Cassidy famous for many bank and train robberies was quite often seen about the town.

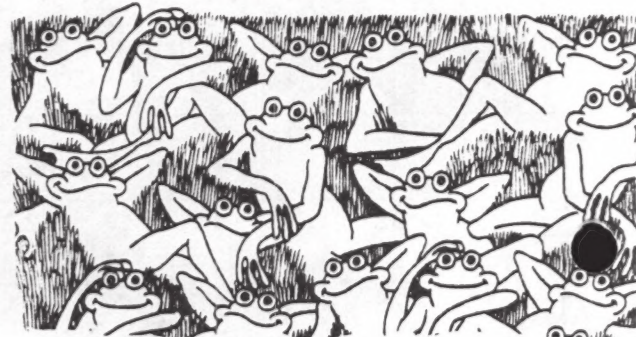
We will meet at the Redwood Multi-Purpose Center Friday, July 24th at 8:30 A.M. and leave by 8:45 A.M. We will be camping in the canyon so come preparad for warm weather during the day and C-O-L-D weather at night.

Hope to see you all there !!

## RAFFLE!

At the club meeting in June at Howard Johnson's we were unable to have a drawing so we will be giving the tokens and silver from last month at this month's meeting which will consist of the following:

1. Ounce of silver
2. Beaver Co-op good for \$1.00
3. H&M No. 13 store
4. Nat Loader Berry Check
5. Cliften's Market, Hurricane, Ut.
6. B.S. good for 5¢
7. B.W. good for 5¢
8. Rexal Lucky penny



# ENROLL NOW !

IT IS THAT TIME AGAIN TO PAY YEARLY DUES!!!!!!

We would like to know more about you and your interests. Please take a few minutes to complete the questions below when you fill out the enrollment form. This survey will be used to determine future club activities.

All individual comments are confidential. Personal reference will only be made if you grant us permission. Please be as accurate as possible in responding to each of these questions. Also, please feel free to extend any comments or suggestions that may help the club, a product line, or the hobby in general.

Simply tear this entire page from the TOKEN HUNTER and return to one of the officers or mail to; N.U.T.S., 6143 Rainy Lane, Murray, Utah, 84107.

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_
2. Do we have your permission to use your name as related to your responses in this questionnaire? NO \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_
3. How many years have you been metal detecting? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Name five types of places you metal detect. 1. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_
5. What is your favorite type of hunting site? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
6. What is the oldest coin you have found? \_\_\_\_\_
7. What is the deepest coin you have found? \_\_\_\_\_
8. What is the most valuable coin you have found? \_\_\_\_\_
9. Do you prefer to hunt alone? with a friend? or group? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Do you relic hunt? \_\_\_\_\_ If not, would you like to? \_\_\_\_\_
11. Do you do any prospecting? \_\_\_\_\_ If no, would you like to? \_\_\_\_\_
12. What percentage of your coins are pre-1940? \_\_\_\_\_
13. What percentage of your coins are pre-1910? \_\_\_\_\_
14. Have you ever asked a total stranger if you could metal detect in their yard? \_\_\_\_\_ Results? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
15. Are you satisfied with your present efforts or would you like to work more productive areas, or areas with old-coin potential even if it meant a short trip? \_\_\_\_\_
16. How many days per week or month do you get out during the summer? \_\_\_\_\_ days per \_\_\_\_\_
17. How many hours do you spend detecting per week? \_\_\_\_\_
18. How many hours do you spend reading treasure hunting magazines or books per week? \_\_\_\_\_

19. How many hours do you spend doing research on treasure hunting each week/month? \_\_\_\_\_
20. What make/model detector(s) do you have now? \_\_\_\_\_  
And which one do you use the most? \_\_\_\_\_
21. What makes/models would you NOT recommend and why? \_\_\_\_\_
22. What makes/models are you the most interested in? \_\_\_\_\_
23. Which feature(s) do you feel are not necessary on today's metal detectors? \_\_\_\_\_ Why? \_\_\_\_\_
24. Which features or ideas would you suggest a manufacturer should consider adding? \_\_\_\_\_
25. What prospecting equipment do you have? \_\_\_\_\_
26. How many times a year do you go panning or dredging? \_\_\_\_\_
27. Would you like a club to offer more exciting outings? \_\_\_\_\_
28. Would you be interested in working on a club committee to do research and site evaluation? \_\_\_\_\_
29. What topic do you want to have covered in a meeting presentation? \_\_\_\_\_

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### YEARLY     DUES

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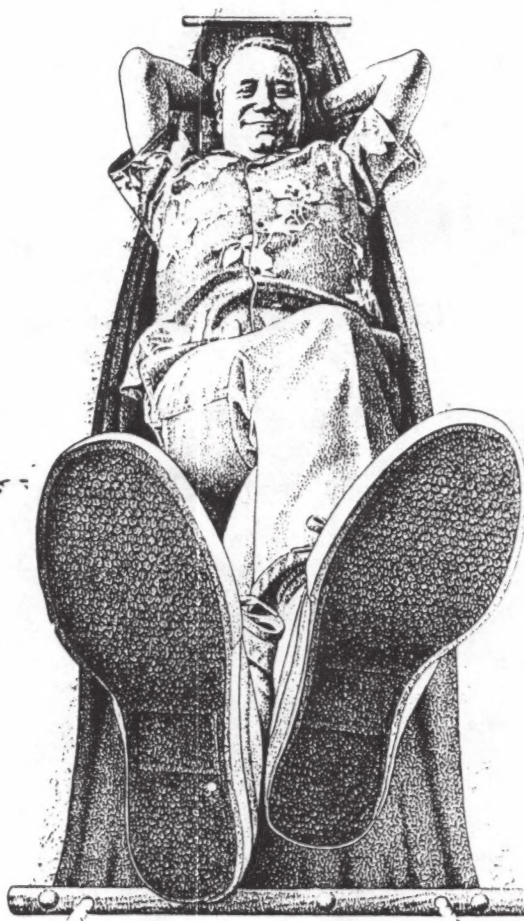
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